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Applicant : Campbell et al.
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Title : Interior Liner for Tubes, Pipes
and Blood Conduits

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Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Dear Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time for two months, to and including January 22, 2002 be granted in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) in order to extend the period for response to the Final Office Action mailed August 20, 2001. An additional two days is requested as the 20th fell on a Sunday, and the 21st was a national holiday.

Please charge our Deposit Account No. 07-1729 for the required fee, and for any additional charges that may be incurred.

Respectfully submitted,

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